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contract and prospective contractual relations, conversion, and breach of duty. The University of Massachusetts asserts that certain subject matter included in the above-referenced specification is involved in the dispute. Removal of this case to federal court was declined; Applicants also make of record this proceeding, United States District Court, District of Massachusetts, Civil Action No. 04-11013-RGS (University of Massachusetts v. James M. Robl and Philippe Collas; August 2, 2004; copy enclosed).

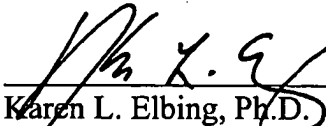
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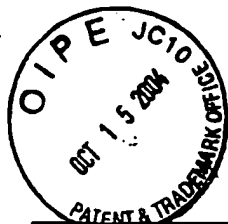
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